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In re Patent Application of: Daryl REA et al.

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For: METHOD OF ENHANCING REPRODUCTIVE  
PERFORMANCE OF SOWS

Examiner: D. Jagoe

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a one month extension of time to and including October 20, 2003 to respond to the Office Action mailed June 20, 2003.

In the event that a further petition for an extension of time is required to be submitted at this time, applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for an extension of time for as many months as are required to ensure that the above-identified application does not become abandoned.

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